

# THE SENTINEL.

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## Blair.

—Robert Brown is at home this week sick.  
—Squire Balls' mother is visiting him and family, this week.  
—Mr. Preston preached at the Blair school house last Tuesday night.  
—Mrs. Mary J. Woods was visiting her father, and mother this week, in upper Holt.  
—James Blair was hauling off his wheat crop this week, having sold to Elevator Co. for 30 cents per bushel.  
—Literary at Blair school house is in full swing. The question, Resolved, "The Worlds Columbian Fair was a Damage to the United States." Affirmative gained the question; other exercises good.  
HARD TACK.  
Dehornersville.  
—All is quiet on Squaw Creek.  
—Mrs. Allen Lagat is visiting in Iowa.  
—Literary at Harmony every Friday evening.  
—Steve Bond and son have built two large stock sheds.  
—Born, to Mr. and Mrs. Al Johnson the 18th, a sweet little girl.  
—1893 has been a year of great improvement around the village.  
—Wm. Weller and A. B. Appleman are feeding quite a number of cattle and hogs.  
—Grant Totten returned from south Missouri last Friday with a basket of persimmons and at this writing most of the villagers have their stomachs drawed up to suit their rations.  
—George Shockley has bought the blacksmith tools of the village and moved them to Center. In the future if the south end of the county receives wind rest assured that it didn't start from the Dehornersville blower.  
—We step from 1893, the World's Fair year, to 1894, wishing all the readers of THE SENTINEL a merry Christmas and happy New Year. Yes, give me a place of story and song to tell of the right along with wrong, for such is Dehornersville.

—Charles Huckleberry, of Brush Africa, attended preaching at this place, the 10th, and being strong put his weight on the trigger that held the Harmony crank, that turns the stage of time and when the curtain was raised there stood the prodigal son on his return home and this caused one of the greatest commotions ever at this place. All the goats got scared and left. Such is life in the wild and wooly west.  
—The protracted meetings at Harmony have closed. The preacher got sick and went home and Deacon Shaw was left in charge, who was also stricken with, what is known in this neck, as the international blotch. It is a cross between lagrippe and sectarian influenza and denominational epidemic. It is feared, at present, it will run into the password of all legions, "Why cometh Thou hither to torment us before the time." There is scarcely a family that has not been down with this disease, even the mayor of the village had to lay down the shucking peg and suffer for nearly a week. We read he was perfected through suffering, so might it be.

Job.

## Ebenezer.

—Corn shelling is the order of the day.  
—Wano Gillis is lying very low with a serious and dangerous illness.  
—Mrs. Banks Browning is lying at the point of death with typhoid fever.  
—Ed. Smith has left for Genoa, Neb., where he will spend the holidays with relatives and friends.  
—The gripe is prevailing to a fearful extent; it is the exception, and not the rule, if any one has escaped its miserable clutches.  
—Our vocal music class is again in running order, after being suspended for two weeks on account of the illness of our teacher, Mr. Geo. Zachman.  
—Stillman Jones, of Nebraska, who has been visiting relatives in Nodaway county, was getting acquainted in our neighborhood a few days ago.  
—Mr. Columbus Swain, in company with his brother, Lee, of Kansas, started for North Carolina last Tuesday on an extended visit with relatives and old acquaintances of younger days, some of whom he had not seen for many years, as it is 22 years since he left his native state.  
DEMINE.

## Nickell's Grove.

—The spelling school on last Tuesday evening was well attended.  
—The Grove Sunday school will not have any Christmas entertainment.  
—We are sorry to hear that Fredrick Kramer is very low with pneumonia.  
—The gripe is taking its rounds in the Grove, and it isn't very pleasant to have.  
—A. Hubbard, of Richville, was the guest of Hersher Bros., Saturday and Sunday.  
—M. G. Lynn and Marjty, of Woodville, were visiting S. P. Hersher and family, Sunday.  
—Mr. Robert Blair and wife, of Rosendale Andrew county, were visiting in the Grove, last week.  
—Hersher Bros., had the misfortune to lose several head of two year old horses and several cattle that were running in the stalk field.  
—Mrs. Henry Ramsey is having quite a siege with neuralgia. She has had her jaw lanced the second time, and is suffering very badly yet.  
—Will Kramer and wife, after having spent two months with Will's folks, will start in a few weeks for their home in Edmond, Oklahoma. They have a fine farm in that country and they think there is no place like Oklahoma. We wish them success in their new home.  
SNIDER.

## Kimsey.

—The gripe is the order of the day.  
—Mrs. Caldwell is confined to her bed with the gripe.  
—The farmers are through gathering corn and are ready for a storm.  
—Eld. Shellenberger will preach at the school house Sunday at 11 a. m.  
—Mr. Maul, of Nebraska, has been visiting his sister-in-law, Mrs. Caldwell.  
—Miss Julia Talbert has returned from an extended visit with her relatives in Nebraska.  
—Miss May Miller and her nephew, Fred Landers, were shopping in St. Joe, Thursday.  
—George Caldwell expects to spend the holidays with his brother Ed, in Gentry county.  
—Charley Evans is grieving over the loss of his fine hound which disappeared a short time ago.  
—The people were disappointed again by Rev. Shook failing to fulfill his appointment Sunday evening.  
—We wonder what girl has been casting her smiles so heavily upon Frank Walker as to cause him to purchase a new buggy.  
DINAH.

## Harmony.

—Mrs. Appleman has been sick with gripe.  
—Mr. Cochran, of Mound City, was in the neighborhood, last week.  
—Mr. Fullerton, of Stanberry, was visiting his many friends here.  
—No one has yet received the appointment of postmaster in Dehornersville.  
—The singing class is not fully organized yet, under the management of Mr. Zachman, of New Point.  
—The interest of the people has been excited by a revived hope of a railroad to be built soon through the neighborhood next year.  
—Teachers' institute held at Mound City was well attended by the teachers of northern Holt. Why not have a session at Harmony?  
—Since my last writing Wes. Hamm entertained some of the young folks with a ball. Some of the young folks of Eureka were in attendance.  
—Rev. Walters has been unable to continue the protracted meeting begun at this place. A speedy convalescence is the wish of his sympathizing friends at this place. Following Mr. Walters were two sermons by Mr. Shaw and one by Mr. Butts.  
—The literary adjourned till the close of the protracted meeting begun at Harmony by Rev. Walters. An interesting program is arranged for the next evening and a good time is expected. Come, everybody, and help us. Question for debate: Resolved, "That the Government Should Own the Railroads."  
—Report of Harmony school for the month ending, December 15, 1893: Enrollment, 44; total No. of days attended by all pupils for the month, 486; average No. of pupils attending each day, 25 11-19; days taught, 19; visitors, Mr. Bond director, and Mr. Geo. C. Knappeberger, who is representing the American Book Co.  
—A vacation in a school at the right time may not be against the interest of a school, but to have them just any time to suit a few is a wrong and should not be permitted. There should be no division in the term. Superintendent Wolfe says: "The law contemplates that the entire six months, or all the time voted at the annual meeting, shall be taught in one continuous term. The board has no legal right to divide the term, and the law nowhere authorizes the people to vote upon such a question." NERO.  
—Mrs. Mary Hayes died at her home in Eugene this morning. The lady has been in feeble health for some time past resulting from old age. She was well known in this county where she has resided for the last 40 years. Her husband, Henry Hayes, died on the 28th of February, 1853, and since that time deceased had lived with her son R. R. and daughter Amanda Hayes in this city. Mary Head was born in Tennessee, March 26, 1810, and was married in July 11, 1833, to Henry Hayes. Afterwards the couple moved to Holt county, Missouri, whence the family moved to Oregon, crossing the plains in 1852. They settled in Lane county where the father and mother both resided until death. Six children survive them, viz.: Mrs. Maggie Shelley, of Centralia, Wash., Miss Amanda Hayes, of Eugene, John Hayes, resides in Benton county, George Hayes, British Columbia, J. R. Hayes, Harrisburg and R. R. Hayes of this city. The funeral will take place to-morrow afternoon at 2 o'clock from the family residence to the I. O. O. F. cemetery. One by one Oregon's deeply respected pioneer men and women of the 40's are leaving us and when another decade passes scarcely one will be left to recount the varied experiences of pioneer life in the Willamette valley.—Oregon Statesman, Dec. 12, 1893.

—The firm of Aultman & Co., manufacturers of engines, threshers and other farming implements of Canton, Ohio, has failed with liabilities about \$1,000.

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